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PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.53 (b) is the following continuation-in-part application of the prior, co-pending patent application Serial No. 09/998,454, filed December 3, 2001 entitled "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A LEAD-FRAME AIR-CAVITY PACKAGE", and herein incorporated in the present continuation-in-part application by reference.

Applicant: **DAVID LEE**

Title of application: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PACKAGING ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS**

Pages of specification: 11 (including 2 pages of claims and 1 page abstract)

Sheets of drawing: 4 (formal)

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Applicant claims small entity status, Small Business Concern.

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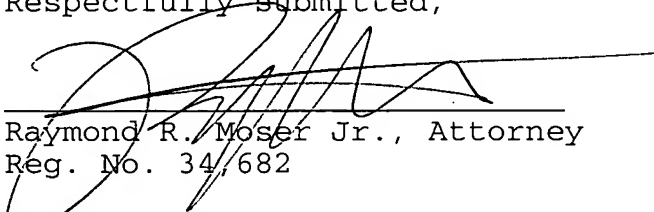
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- _____ A copy of the specification of the prior application;
- _____ Disclosure Statement;
- _____ Letter referencing previously filed disclosure document; number _____ filed _____;
- _____ Verified Statement claiming small entity status;
- XX** Claim to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120:
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- XX** The issue fee has been paid on September 30, 2003 for Serial no. 09/998,454. No abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred in the above-identified prior application.

Respectfully submitted,

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